

# 12 The latest technology

## Supercomputers

### VOCABULARY

1 Find six technology words.

d	o	w	n	l	o	a	d
i	m	a	c	h	i	n	e
g	o	e	f	u	p	q	a
i	s	t	m	i	m	v	j
t	x	t	l	o	w	u	e
a	r	u	a	y	r	l	o
l	z	a	e	r	b	y	h
m	v	i	r	u	s	e	s

2 Complete the sentences with the words from Exercise 1.

- Scientists can study the ..... using the latest technology.
- Computer ..... are a problem on the internet.
- ..... computers are getting faster and faster.
- The first computer was a counting .....
- It doesn't take long to ..... a document from the internet.
- The ..... is the part of the computer where information is kept.

### GRAMMAR Superlative adjectives

3 Write the superlative adjectives.

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|------------|-------|-----------|-------|
| 1 better   | ..... | 5 heavier | ..... |
| 2 worse    | ..... | 6 famous  | ..... |
| 3 quicker  | ..... | 7 clever  | ..... |
| 4 exciting | ..... | 8 thin    | ..... |

4 Match the two halves of the sentences.

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|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1 Rome is one of the oldest | a beautiful cities in Europe.    |
| 2 São Paulo is the          | b expensive city in England.     |
| 3 London is the most        | c cities in the world.           |
| 4 Paris is one of the most  | d friendliest city in the USA.   |
| 5 San Francisco is the      | e capital city in Europe.        |
| 6 Madrid is the highest     | f biggest city in South America. |

